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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hiroshi YAMAKAWA, et al.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith: Request for Extension of Time One Month

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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 5, 2004, Applicants request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begins on page 7 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this response.